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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Philip E. Eggers et al.

Application No.: 09/314,247

Filed: May 18, 1999

For: System For Treating Articular Cartilage  
Defects

Examiner: L. Cohen  
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's decision dated March 2, 2001. Please charge the filing fee of \$310.00 for this Appeal to Deposit Account No. 50-0359 of the Undersigned. This Notice is submitted in triplicate.

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Respectfully submitted,

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